

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3 and 7 to 10 are in the case.

With this amendment, Applicant has amended Claim 1 to include the subject matter of old Claim 2. As this was indicated to be allowable in the Office Action, it is believed that Claim 1 is now in allowable form.

Claim 2 has been cancelled from the application.

Claim 3 is dependent on amended Claim 1 and is believed to be allowable for the reasons advanced regarding the allowability of Claim 1.

Claims 4, 5 and 6 have been cancelled with Claim 4 being rewritten in independent form as new Claim 7.

The subject matter of Claim 9 includes all the limitations of old Claims 1 and 5. As Claim 5 was indicated to be allowable it is believed that Claim 9 is similarly allowable.

It is now believed that the application is in order for allowance, and such action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully,

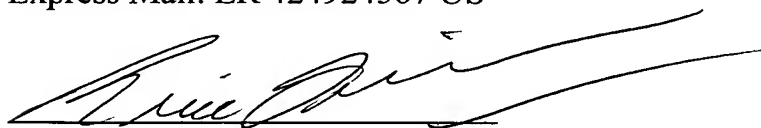


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